






**Kootenai County Wildland/Urban Interface
Fire Mitigation Plan
Certification and Agreement**

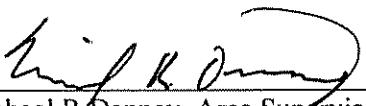
The WUI Fire Mitigation Plan, a sub-section of the Kootenai County All Hazard Mitigation Plan, developed by Kootenai County:


-  Was collaboratively developed. Interested parties, fire departments, and federal land management agencies with jurisdictions in Kootenai County have been consulted.
-  This plan combined with the attached 5-year Federal Plan Annex (data provided and updated annually by the appropriate federal agencies) identifies and prioritizes areas for hazardous fuel treatment and recommends types and methods of treatment that will protect Kootenai County.
-  This plan addresses public awareness and education including the reduction of the ignitability of structures throughout the County.
-  This plan developed in accordance with Public Law 106-390, Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000 contains all the required elements, and serves the same purpose as a Community Wildfire Protection Plan. (As described under Public Law 108-148, Healthy Forest Restoration Act.)


The following entities attest that the standards listed above have been met and mutually agree with the contents of this Wildland/Urban Interface Fire Mitigation Plan.


S.J. "Gus" Johnson, Chair
Kootenai County Board of Commissioners
Date 3-28-06


Larry Simms, Chair
Kootenai County Fire Chief's Association
Date 3/22/06


Michael R. Denney, Area Supervisor/Mica
Idaho Department of Lands
Date 3/23/06


Randall G. Swick, District Ranger, CDA River Ranger District
Idaho Panhandle National Forests, USFS-USDA
Date 3/24/06


Eric Thomson, Field Manager
Bureau of Land Management
Date 3/23/06